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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Eric BENAZZI et al.   GAU: 1764
SERIAL NO: 09/909,805   EXAMINER: Walter Dean Griffin
FILING DATE: July 23, 2001
FOR: PROCESS FOR IMPROVING THE POUR POINT OF FEEDS CONTAINING PARAFFINS USING A
CATALYST BASED ON A BRIDGED DIOCTAHEDRAL 2:1 PHYLLOSILICATE

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